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Post presented reftel demarche to Ministry of Commerce official Sharifa Khan by telephone February 22. Ms Khan reported that the EU had already been in two days previously with a similar demarche. Post clarified the distinction between the two proposals using appropriate 'if asked' talking point in reftel. Post followed up with a non-paper and the original texts as provided reftel on February 25. Post will report any substantive response.
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